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ALLERGIES RELATED GENE TRANSCRIPTS IN BLOOD

Examiner: J. C. Switzer

## SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is being filed to supplement the papers filed November 13, 2007 in response to a nonfinal rejection mailed May 11, 2007.

Please charge any necessary fees required in connection with the paper transmitted herewith to Deposit Account No. 04-1105, Reference No.: 204231/2055N.

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## Remarks

Applicant submits that all claims are allowable as written and respectfully request early favorable action by the Examiner. If the Examiner believes that a telephone conversation with Applicant's attorney/agent would expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is cordially invited to call the undersigned attorney/agent of record.

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